## **Difficult Run Stream Valley Trail**

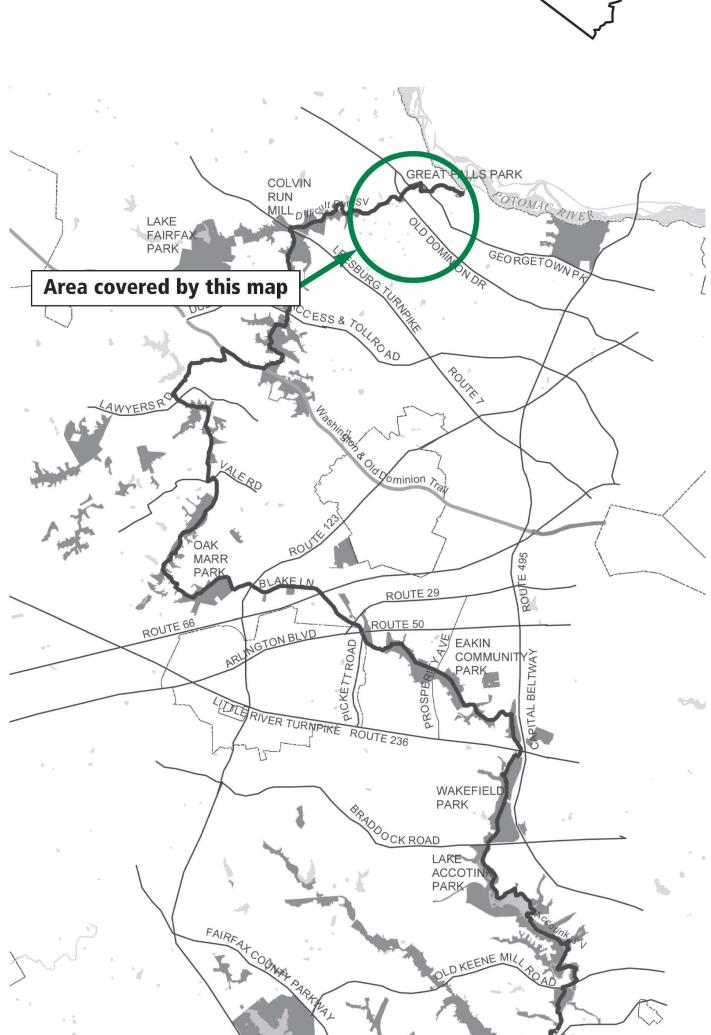




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**VALLEY TRAIL** is part of the countywide trail plan. It is also a component of the Cross County Trail which stretches across the county from south to north. It links to Accotink Stream Valley and Pohick Stream Valley through the Laurel Hill Greenway to the Occoquan River in the south and continues to the north to the Potomac River at Great Falls Park.

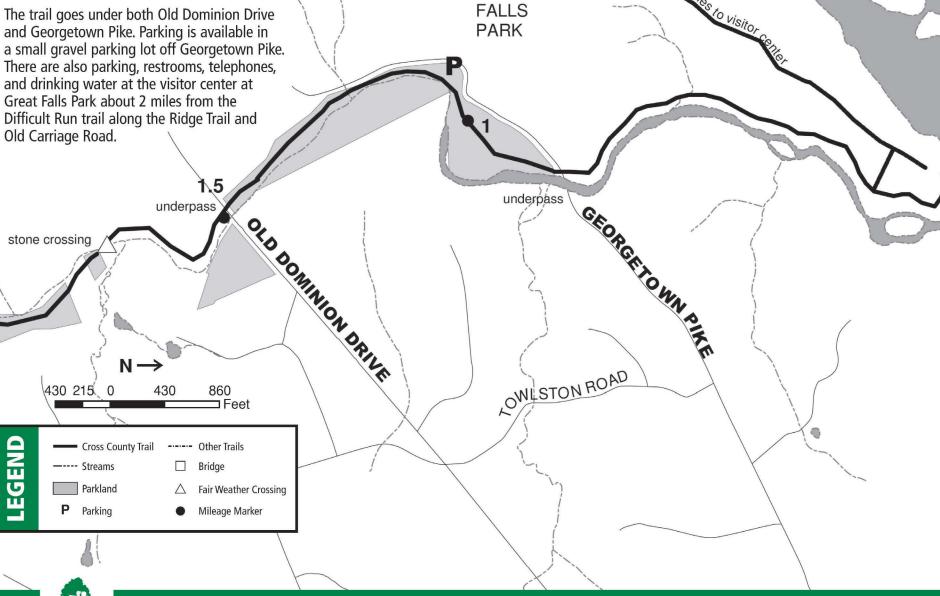
This section of the CCT runs from Leigh Mill Road to the Potomac River, a distance of approximately 2.5 miles. Mile markers as shown on the map are approximate. Access points for the trail are at Leigh Mill Road and from the Georgetown Pike parking lot, as well as from the Ridge Trail in Great Falls Park, as shown on the map. The trail in this section is natural surface within the Park Authority land south of Georgetown Pike, with some stone improvements on the north side of the road on the National Park Service property.

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The trail is fairly level for this entire section, though there are a few steeper slopes as the trail goes into the National Park land. There is a large engineered stone crossing several hundred feet south of Old Dominion Drive and a fiberglass bridge just south of the Georgetown Pike parking area.

The trail goes under both Old Dominion Drive and Georgetown Pike. Parking is available in There are also parking, restrooms, telephones, and drinking water at the visitor center at Great Falls Park about 2 miles from the Difficult Run trail along the Ridge Trail and



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